

Appln. No.: 10/706,885  
Amendment Dated: July 12, 2005  
Reply to Office Action of: March 18, 2005

MAT-8482US



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appln. No: 10/706,885  
Applicant: Takao Kuromiya  
Filed: November 12, 2003  
Title: EXTRUSION TYPE NOZZLE AND COATING  
APPARATUS USING THE SAME  
TC/A.U.: 1734  
Examiner: George R. Koch  
Confirmation No.: 7373  
Docket No.: MAT-8482US

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

**Expedited Procedure**

Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action dated **March 18, 2005**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- ☐ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page      of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page **2** of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page      of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet(s).
- ☐ **Amendments to the Abstract** are on page      of this paper. A clean version of the Abstract is on page      of this paper.
- ☒ **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page **4** of this paper.